

Dear Greendale students and families,

The Christmas season is filling the air and the holidays are fast approaching. We have all survived our first term progress reports with great satisfaction. We have seen a wonderful number of parents attend the school council meetings and welcome everyone to participate in their children's education. As a member of parent council you get a vote in an organization where you can express your concerns.

With great satisfaction we would like to report that the Greendale movie night was a success. We look forward the next one in the new year. Also the magazine and cookie dough sales have proved to be another accomplishment under our belt. We would like to thank everyone who participated in the events. We wish to encourage the wonderful Greendale students to participate in our "Neighbourhood Pizza" coupon card fundraiser which benefits the school and the families. Please have your coupon request forms in by Dec. 10, and all monies returned to school by Dec. 16. 2011.

The School Council is pleased to announce that additional school uniforms have been ordered. These uniforms will be used in our extra curricular activities such as volleyball, basketball, rugby and soccer. Our team members can now represent our school with even greater pride for many years to come.

We will kick off the Christmas season with a few holiday events during the last week of school. A turkey hot lunch is scheduled for Dec. 19th (Monday). The annual holiday bazaar has been scheduled for December 20, and 21st. The purpose of the bazaar is to help the students experience the "gift of giving".

Please feel free to contact me through the school or by e-mail if you would like to become involved.

Thank You for your continued support.

Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays to all.

Sincerely,
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